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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10/559,408 First Named Applicant: Krzysztof Malowaniec
 Examiner: Michele M. Kidwell Art Unit: 3761 Status of Application: pending

Tentative Participants:

(1) Oliver Fritz (2) Eckhard Oltmann
 (3) _____ (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: Wednesday June 25 Proposed Time: 9 am (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) Telephonic (2) Personal (3) Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: YES NO

If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) see attached e-mail	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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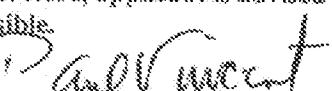
Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

see attached e-mail

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on 6/25/08.

NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

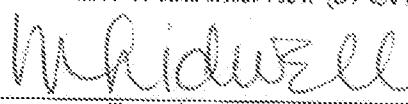


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Examiner/SPE Signature

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Preparation of an in person interview on Wednesday, June 25, 9.00 a.m.,
Examiner Michele Kidwell

Applicants will be represented by Dr. Eckhard Oltmann (European Patent Attorney and Head of Patent Department of Paul Hartmann AG) and Oliver Friz (Applicant's European Patent Attorney)

In preparation of the interview applicants would like to further discuss and substantiate their arguments presented with response dated April 2, 2008 to the Official Action dated January 25, 2008 with respect to amended independent claim 16. The references of interest seem to be Ranganathan US 2003/0119394 A1 and Nakamura WO 99/38541 and possibly Carlucci EP 1,250,940 A1.